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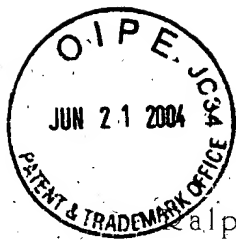
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**Applicants:** Amdur, et al.  
**Title:** Generation and Use of Digital Signatures  
**Docket No.:** DSC-003

Sir:

Please find enclosed Applicants' Response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2004 for filing in the above case. There was no shortened statutory period for reply set for responding. Thus, no fee should be due; however, if any fees are due with the prosecution of this application, please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0637 of Walker & Jocke.

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